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It holds the cuff to the sleeve
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Enter and sweet buttermilk for sale at
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A fine line of children's suits at O'Connell's.
Telephone No. 100 and get pure crys-
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tion paid to all orders. Three wagons on
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Ladies, you can get "Toe Slippers" at
from 25c to \$1.00, at Barber & Baker's.
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We prefer to write our own advertise-
ments, as we think it is always best to tell
the truth. Barber & Baker. 2-11

The Daily Republican.

TERMS:
Five weeks, payable to Carrier, \$10.00
One year, in advance, \$40.00
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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 6, 1886.

LOCAL NEWS.

If you want to keep your meats, but-
ter and milk cold and sweet, buy an
Alaska Refrigerator of
E. D. Bartholomew & Co.

The Alumni banquet was "one of the
finest." Everybody had a seat.

Saturday school picnic at Oakland
Park Tuesday. Band concert that night.

"Dor heidle German band" is in the
city giving street corner concerts for all
the nickels that are dropped in a hat.

The Fred. Norman donation drawing
will not take place until Tuesday next,
the date named on the tickets.

The chain gang is on duty today. It
includes three offenders who had no
money with which to pay their fines.

There were heavy rains in Hickory
Whitmore and Long Creek townships
this morning.

Easy chairs and rockers, children's
chairs and elegant parlor sets, at Dus-
man & Meyer's, in Howell's Block.

The final examination of pupils out of
the word schools for admission to the
High School is in progress to-day and
will be continued on Monday.

The celebrated Haines Bros. pianos
and other popular instruments are only
to be found at C. B. Prescott's.

Yesterday the Washburn express agent
men at Decatur handled 600 barrels of
strawberries bound eastward from St.
Louis. They had another lot to handle
to-day.

Ed. Strom has sold the John Strom
marble shop material to Mason parties,
and the stock was removed to-day. Ed
will go to Texas to engage in the stock
business. Mr. Scheller, the owner of the
building, will procure a new tenant.

The prettiest lot of buggies and ele-
gant carriages in the west at Wayne &
Anderson's works, on North Water street.
Repair work a specialty.

Twenty lessons in writing for \$3.00, at
Central Business College. Lessons missed
can be made up. Call and examine stu-
dent's progress. 6-11

Goodman's cornet band will dedicate
Oakland Park this evening by giving a
free concert for the entertainment of the
people who may visit that very delightful
resort. It will commence at 7 o'clock
and continue nearly two hours.

Deal with Peck & Co., in Opera block
when you want nice groceries, berries,
and good family flour.

PARENTS desiring a thorough musical
education for their children, from the
rudiments to the most finished execution
in the graduating department, will find it
to their advantage to place their children
at the Decatur Musical College. Espe-
cial care is given to pupils fitting them-
selves to teach. Summer term is now
open, pupils may enter at any time; terms
reasonable. The College is very pleas-
antly situated, in the New Hawthorn Block,
overlooking the Park. Elevator entrance
on Water street. For any information
desired, call at or address Room 21.
Miss Clara Harris, Prin.

A good Upright Piano for rent at
Prescott's music store. Call at once. 4-11

In 1886 the sheriff, county judge, coun-
ty treasurer, county clerk and county su-
perintendent are to be elected. Who will
be the candidates?

A few more scholars can be accommo-
dated in Rev. J. O'Connell's German classes
at College of Music. 3-11

The High School base ball nine are ar-
ranging to build enclosed grounds. They
are trying to get the Milliken pasture
grounds at the west end of William street,
and may succeed. It is intended to form
a paid club.

Blue Suits worth \$18.00, now going
for \$12.00 a suit at John Irvine's
White Front closing sale. 5-11

RECENTLY State Fish Commissioner
Bartlett received in the government fish
car Pennsylvania 1,200,000 Potomac river
shad, and planted them in the Illinois,
Rock and Kankakee rivers.

TELEPHONE orders for delicious straw-
berries and reliable family groceries to
Niedermeyer on the Monnd.

Ask your Stationer for the "American
Blotter Tablet." You will not regret try-
ing one. They are the handiest thing in
the Market. Try one. may 30-dwitt

On the cheap excursion to Peoria, June
9th, children under 12 years will be car-
ried for 50 cents. 3-11

Use Black Wire Cloth for your screen
doors and windows. You will like it bet-
ter than any other color. Sold by More-
house, Wells & Co. 29-dwitt

Sports, sold to-day and to-morrow in
Men's Fine Shirts at Barber & Baker's.
4-11

Mending neatly and promptly done at
Barber & Baker's.

A fine line of water jackets at Cheap
Charley's.

Dustin.

The funeral of F. G. Hill, who died
Friday evening at Boody, in the 86th
year of his age, took place this afternoon,
at 2 o'clock, from the residence of his son,
Rev. Mr. Dankson officiating. The de-
ceased was a native of Virginia and had
lived in Illinois since 1827. His living
children are Robert and J. E. Hill, Mrs.
McDaniels, Mrs. J. F. Murrehead and Mr.
J. Widick.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.
May Term, 1885—Judge J. W. Wil-
kinson Presiding.

SATURDAY, JUNE 6.
Court convened at 9:30 a. m.
COMMON LAW DOCKET.
M. Pottinger & Co. vs. Lucy A. Drake: at-
tachment; trial by jury pending.
In the assumpsit case of D. W. Smith vs. The
Decatur Tin Co. the jury returned a verdict
for the plaintiff, plaintiff's damages \$25.
Motion offered by defendant for new trial.
The case was set for June 13, at 10 a. m.
Dismissed by plaintiff.

CHANCERY DOCKET.
Frederick Abbott vs. J. A. Burton and W. W.
Foster: injunction; report of Master approved
and bill dismissed; appeal taken by Abbott.
Court adjourned at 12:10 a. m. to 1:30 p. m.
Monday, June 8th.

Da. J. Brown will pay cash for a first-
class horse; must not weigh less than
1200 pounds, nor be over 7 years old.
June 5-11

Let the people judge for themselves.
We set the people of Decatur to examine
our prices, then return a verdict. We rest
assured that the shoe store of J. H. Black
& Son will remain popular, and that the
verdict will be in our favor.

We can sell you John Kelly's Rochester
N. Y., \$4.00 Ladies' fine shoes for
\$3.00.

ALUMNI REUNION AND BANQUET.

**Another Human Crush at the Op-
era House Last Night.**

**Alumni Exercises and the An-
nual Feast.**

The first act in the annual public do-
ings of the Decatur Schools, the gradu-
ation exercises, passed off nicely, and last
night came the second act, a pleasing se-
quel to Commencement day. It was the
Eighty annual exercise of the High
School Alumni Association, whose mem-
bership, if all the graduates were living,
would make a total of 237. The exer-
cises were unusually interesting and en-
tertaining, and of course there was the
customary rush to get seats. Scores had
to remain standing. The class of '85 had
seats reserved for them in front.

THE EXERCISES.
Of the evening opened with a selection
from the opera of *Il Trovatore*, by the
Opera Orchestra, under the direction of
Prof. Bull.

The address of welcome to the class of
'85, on behalf of the Alumni, was deliv-
ered by the president, Wilson M. Derick,
who spoke extemporaneously, giving the
25 graduates a warm greeting, predicting
a bright future for them. He closed with
felicitous remarks about the annual re-
ceptions and banquets, outlining some of
the responsibilities of the various com-
mittees in arranging for the feasts.

The happy response on behalf of the
class was delivered by Miss Mary Roby,
whose smooth address was clothed in
beautiful language.

SUPPER GASTMAN'S ADDRESS.
President Gastman, in announcing the subject
of the address of the class of '85, said
that the address of the Decatur Schools, al-
luded to that gentlemen's work in a laudatory
manner. It was truly stated, that Mr. Gas-
tman holds the credit of building up the
schools of Decatur and for bringing them to
their present high standard of perfection.

"The changes of a quarter of a century"
was the subject of the talk, and when Mr. Gas-
tman came to the subject of the Decatur Schools,
he spoke of the changes that had taken place
since 1861. He spoke of the changes in the
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After the feast the company was enter-
tained with toasts as follows, as given on
the list—Miss Dora Walston, toast-mis-
tress:

The Alumni Association—Response by
W. M. Boring.
The Class of '85—Miss Beesie Dillon.
Our Absent Members—Boring Bur-
roughs.
High School Reminiscences—Cyrus F.
Randolph.
The Progress of Education—Max West-
phal.
The Banquet of the Association—
Charles Ewing.
High School Literary Society—Miss
Lizzie Lukens.
The High School Student of To-day—
Miss Minnie Parker.
The College Feels—V. N. Hosteller.
NOTES.

Several imprudent toasts were given
and much merriment was caused.
These were at the tables.

During the evening the Opera Orches-
tra filled the hall with delightful music.
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brown, of Chicago,
and Mrs. D. S. Shullaberger, of Peoria,
husband of Pittsburgh, Pa., were in at-
tendance.

Miss Myra Van Riper got a prize as
the "baby" of the class, and 1400 votes.
She was the only one to receive a prize.

The Alumni reunion exercises were
pronounced the best yet given by the as-
sociation.

In the H. S. class of '86 were three
young men who have been REVOLUTIONARY
carriers—Fred. Brown, Elmer Dueschack
and Fred. Minnie. Their essays were
highly complimented.

At the close of the graduation exercises
yesterday night, Gastman announced that
he had received a scholarship from the
college of Peoria, Ill., to be given free
to the pupil of the class of '85 having the
highest scholarship. The certificate was
given to Charles Schroll as having the
highest scholarship. He is now a student
at Harvard.

The Sea of Ice.
The Ethel Tucker Dime Dramatic com-
pany will begin a week's engagement
here Monday night, presenting the beau-
tiful play, "Sea of Ice." The troupe
comes highly recommended, and will
undoubtedly fill the house every night
during the play every evening.

BACKACHE, stitches in the side, indiges-
tion and soreness of the bowels, are symptoms
of a disordered state of the digestive and
assimilative organs, which can be prompt-
ly and thoroughly corrected by the use
of Ayer's Cathartic Pills. As dinner
pills, and as aids to digestion, they have
no equal. They cure constipation.

There will be special services at the
United Brethren church in the afternoon
at 3 o'clock, in honor of "Children's Day."
Appropriate exercises by the children of
the Sabbath school—to-morrow. Parents
are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. J. NELSON JORDAN, Elsworth,
Mo., received such relief from rheumatism
by using Atthophores that she would not
have complained if the price had been
\$50 a bottle.

**Ladies' French Kid Hand Sewed Wal-
ling Shoes just received at Powers & H's**
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PARENTS, if you want your children to
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for a life, let them be taught how to write.
See circulars containing special reduction
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